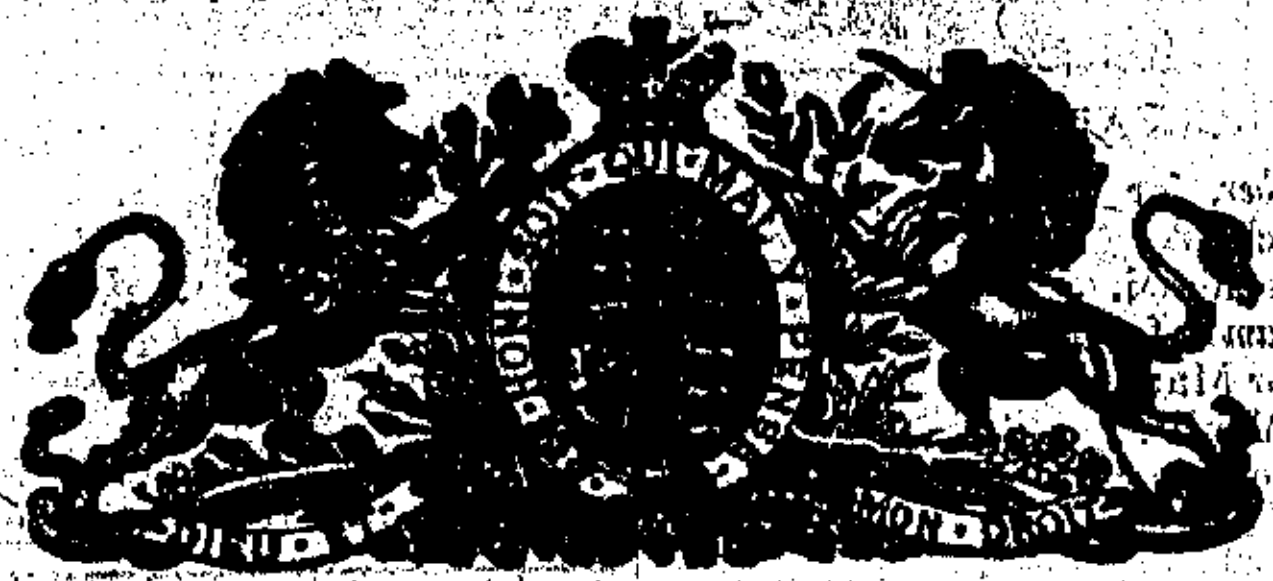


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THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on

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All that PIECE or PARCEL OF

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J. M. ARMSTRONG,

Auctioneer.

Hongkong, May 15, 1878. my27

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THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on

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the 27th May, 1878, at 12.30 p.m., on the

Premises,—

All those PIECES or PARCELS OF

GROUND, situated in Fook-hing Lane,

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Hongkong, May 16, 1878. my27

## Intimations.

### ORIENTAL SUGAR REFINERY.

THE Undersigned, having effected a

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Plant, &c., have to request that, until

further notice, all COMMUNICATIONS with

reference to the Business of the said Re-

finery be made to THEM, either at their

Offices, Queen's Road, or at the Refinery

Premises.

ADAMSON, BELL & Co.

Hongkong, May 23, 1878. my30

## DENTAL NOTICE.

D. B. ROGERS begs to intimate to his

Friends that he is about to visit

SHANGHAI, and will be absent from Hong-

kong from April 1st to June 15th.

Hongkong, March 4, 1878.

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Fire to the extent of \$40,000, on Buildings

or on Goods stored therein.

DISCOUNT 20%

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Hongkong, March 1, 1878.

## Intimations.

### CHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

IN Accordance with the Articles of Association, the FIRST MEETING of

SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company

will be held at the Office of the Under-

signed at 3 p.m., on TUESDAY, 28th

Instant.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Agents.

Hongkong, May 17, 1878. my28

## NOTICE.

SHIPOWNERS and OTHERS desirous

of giving evidence or expressing their

views on the subject of the "MERCHANT

SHIPPING CONSOLIDATION BILL," now under

the consideration of a Special Committee

of the Legislative Council, are invited to

notify to the Undersigned the particular

Points on which they wish to be heard, in

order that an opportunity may be afforded

them of being in attendance when the

proper time arrives.

By Command,

H. E. WODEHOUSE,

Clerk of Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,

May 22, 1878.

## HONGKONG VOLUNTEERS.

23rd MAY, 1878.

UNTIL further orders, DRILLS will

take place in the MORNINGS from

6.30 o'clock to 7.30 o'clock, and AFTERNOONS

from 6.30 o'clock to 6.30 o'clock. There

will be no Parade on Saturday next.

Uniform not to be worn on Parade this

week. The Day for commencing Parade

in Uniform will be notified.

T. C. DEMPSTER,

Captain 28th Regt.,

Commandant.

## NOTICE.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP Co.

THE DEPARTURE of the Company's

Steamer "CITY OF PEKING" is

unavoidably POSTPONED until further

notice.

RUSSELL & Co.,







AT HONGKONG.		
When left.	Name.	From.
Oct.		
13, Oscar,		Hamburg
Nov.		
2, Minna,		London
3, Elizabeth Shields,		Hamburg
20, Jetti,		Cardiff
Dec.		
1, Glengaber,		Flushing
2, Otto,		Hamburg
19, Sedan,		Cardiff
23, J. R. Worcester,		London
26, G. B. S.,		Liverpool
Jan.		
8, Korso,		Penarth
13, Elvetico,		Cardiff
17, Hylton Castle,		Greenock
22, Belle of Oregon,		Liverpool
27, Earl of Devon,		Antwerp
30, Elizabeth Childs,		Plymouth
31, Wandering Jew,		Penarth
Feb.		
2, Per Ardua,		London
7, Nourmahal,		London
9, Lodore,		Falmouth
9, Hedwig,		Cardiff
9, Channel Queen,		Cardiff
21, Magdala,		Cardiff
22, Elvetico,		Penarth
23, Eleanor,		Sydney
24, Esmaralda,		Cardiff
28, Highlander,		New York
Mar.		
3, Prince Amadeo,		Cardiff
6, Francis B. Fay,		Sydney
6, Mabel Clark,		Liverpool
8, Josephine,		Penarth
12, Penarth,		London
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19, Landseer,		Liverpool
19, C. L. Pearson,		N'castle (N.A.W.)
19, Alice D. Cooper,		Penarth
20, S. Vaughan,		Cardiff
20, Albyn's Isle,		N'castle (N.A.W.)
20, Sontag,		N'castle (N.A.W.)
26, Riegan,		N'castle (N.A.W.)
28, Orsicle,		Liverpool
29, Manilla II.,		Cuxhaven
30, Bristolian (s.),		Antwerp
30, Imbat (s.),		London
Apr.		
6, Maritime Union,		Cardiff
10, Patroclus (s.),		Liverpool
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Glengyle.		Gordon Castle.
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SAID, NAPLES, AND  
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Also,  
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ON SATURDAY, the 25th May,  
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TIGRE, Commandant LORING, with  
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CARGO, will leave this Port for the  
above places.  
Cargo and Specie will be registered for  
London as well as for Marseilles, and ac-  
cepted in transit through Marseilles for  
the principal places of Europe.  
Cargo will be received on board until  
4 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m.  
on the 24th May, 1878. (Parcels are  
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at the Agency's Office.)  
Contents and value of Packages are re-  
quired.  
For further particulars, apply at the  
Company's Office.  
H. DU POUEY,  
Agent.  
Hongkong, May 15, 1878. my26

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on TUESDAY, the 28th May,  
at 3 p.m., taking Cargo and Passengers for  
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Connections are made at Yokohama, with  
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Freight will be received on Board until  
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PACKAGES will be received at the Office  
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should be marked to address in full; value  
of same is required.  
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SPECIAL REDUCTIONS granted to  
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For further information as to Freight  
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G. B. EMERY, Agent.

Hongkong, May 23, 1878. my28



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Hongkong, May 18, 1878. jcl

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is required.

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Company, No. 3, Prince Street.  
RUSSELL & Co., Agents.  
Hongkong, May 20, 1878.

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Hongkong, July 13, 1876.

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China Mail Office,  
Hongkong, May 13, 1878.

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annually distributed among all Contribu-  
tors of Business in proportion to the  
premium paid by them.

RUSSELL & Co.,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, May 10, 1878.

**CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY,  
LIMITED.**  
**NOTICE.**  
Policies granted at current rates on  
Marine Risks to all parts of the World.  
In accordance with the Company's Articles  
of Association, Two-thirds of the Profits  
are distributed annually to Contributors,  
whether Shareholders or not, in proportion  
to the amount of Premium contributed  
by each, the remaining third being carried  
to Reserve Fund.

OLYMPIAN & Co.,  
General Agents.  
Hongkong, April 17, 1873.

## ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Underigned, Agents for the above  
Company, are prepared to grant in-  
surances at current rates.

MELCHERS & Co.,  
Agents, Royal Insurance Company.  
Hongkong, October 27, 1874.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE  
INSURANCE COMPANY.

Incorporated by Royal Charter and  
Special Acts of Parliament.

ESTABLISHED 1806.  
CAPITAL £2,000,000.

THE Underigned, Agents at Hongkong  
for the above Company, are prepared  
to grant Policies against FIRE, to the  
extent of £10,000 on any Building, or  
on Merchandise in the same, at the  
usual Rates, subject to a discount of 20  
per cent.

GILMAN & Co.,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, July 6, 1876.

SHEONG ON FIRE INSURANCE  
COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL ONE MILLION DOLLARS.

**Directors.**  
KWOK ACHONG, Merchant.  
PANG YIM, Merchant.  
HO HAM, of Hop Yik Chan, Merchant.  
LOO YEE, of the Kee On Hong, Merchant.  
LEE KING, of Lai Hing Firm, Merchant.  
CHONG SING YONG, Merchant.  
CHOY CHAN, Merchant.

Manager—HO AMEL.

**POLICIES** against FIRE granted on  
BUILDINGS and on Goods stored  
therein at CURRENT RATES, subject to  
Discount of 20% on the Premium.

OFFICE, Nos. 8 and 9, Praya West.  
Hongkong, August 23, 1877. an28

THE LONDON ASSURANCE  
COMPANY.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER  
of  
His Majesty King George The Third,  
A. D. 1720.

THE Underigned having been appointed  
Agents for the above Corporation are  
prepared to grant Insurances as follows—

**Marine Department.**  
Policies at current rates payable either  
here, in London or at the Principal Ports  
of India, China and Australia.

**Fire Department.**  
Policies issued for long or short periods at  
current rates. A discount of 20% allowed.

**Life Department.**  
Policies issued for sums not exceeding  
£5,000 at reduced rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.,  
Hongkong, July 26, 1872.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE  
COMPANY OF MANCHESTER  
AND LONDON.

THE Underigned have been appointed  
Agents for the above Company at  
Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai  
and Hankow, and are prepared to grant  
Insurances at current rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.,  
Hongkong, October 14, 1868.

## Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eight Sections, commencing at  
Green Island, and the Hongkong shore are marked A., and those in the body of the  
Shipping or midway between each shore are marked C., in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

Section.  
1. From Green Island to the Gas Works.  
2. From Gas Works to the Novelty-iron Works.  
3. From Novelty-iron Works to the Harbour Master's Office.  
4. From Harbour Master's Office to the Island C. O. Co.'s Office.  
5. From P. and O. Co.'s Office to Peddar's Wharf.  
6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard.  
7. From Naval Yard to the Pier.  
8. From Pier to East-Point.

Vessel's Name	Flag	Tons	Date of Arrival	Consignees or Agents	Destination	Remarks
<b>Steamers</b>						
Agassiz	Brit.	326	May 22	Holliday, Wise & Co.	Yokohama & Higo	At anchor Dock
Albatross	Ger.	1179	May 9	Wm. Pustan & Co.	Shanghai	For Sale
America	Brit.	568	May 13	Bliley & Co.	Yokohama	For Sale
Argentine	Brit.	915	April 22	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Yokohama	24th inst.
Bellona	Ger.	1718	May 20	O. & S. S. Co.	Yokohama & S. F. de O.	27th inst.
Bertha	Ger.	789	May 21	Wm. Pustan & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Bombay	Brit.	1420	May 7	Meyer & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Bombay	Brit.	743	Feb. 12	Kwok Ashong	Yokohama	Land up
Bombay	Brit.	1303	May 11	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Bombay	Brit.	95	Oct. 2	Kwok Ashong	Yokohama	Land up
City of Peking	Amer.	5079	May 15	P. M. S. S. Co.	Yokohama & S. F. de O.	Land up
Cypresses	Brit.	1286	May 8	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Dago	Brit.	1239	May 19	Meyer & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Eglin	Brit.	900	May 23	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Emeralda	Brit.	395	May 24	Russell & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Fame	Brit.	117	May 11	H. K. & W'poo Dock Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Fatchoy	Brit.	163	May 11	G. MoBain	Yokohama	Land up
Fitzpatrick	Brit.	597	April 18	Gei Chong Hong	Yokohama	Land up
Fuyew	Chi.	950	May 24	C. M. S. N. Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Historian	Brit.	1201	May 19	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Java	Dut.	886	May 14	Wm. Pustan & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Klenchow	Brit.	1036	May 28	Kwok Ashong	Yokohama	Land up
Lorne	Chi.	1035	May 28	Melchers & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Malacca	Brit.	1209	May 15	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Menelaus	Brit.	1559	May 24	Butterfield & Swire	Yokohama	Land up
Rajanathanhar	Brit.	993	May 21	Yuen Fat Hong	Yokohama	Land up
Sea Gull	Brit.	997	May 20	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
State of Alabama	Span.	195	May 18	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
State of Alabama	Brit.	1511	May 7	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Tigre	Foh.	2051	May 23	Messageries Maritimes	Yokohama	Land up
Volga	Foh.	1000	May 21	Messageries Maritimes	Yokohama	Land up
Yesso	Brit.	559	May 22	Douglas Laprak & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Zamboanga	Span.	651	May 20	Landstein & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
<b>Sailing Vessels</b>						
Aldebaran	Brit.	393	May 8	Borneo Co., Limited	Yokohama	Land up
Alex. Newton	Brit.	308	May 21	Captain	Yokohama	Land up
Anna Sieben	Ger.	325	April 5	Eduard Schellhass & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Areola	Brit.	947	April 24	Carlowitz & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
August Friedrich	Ger.	307	May 16	Stemmen & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Bonita	Ger. Sm. co.	341	May 22	Eduard Schellhass & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Borneo	Amer.	739	April 28	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Brisbane	Brit.	394	April 22	Russell & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Carl Ritter	Ger.	596	May 8	Stemmen & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Carrollita & Ida	Ger.	438	May 22	Order	Yokohama	Land up
Ceylon	Amer.	681	May 3	Olyphant & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Condor	Ger.	388	May 22	Stemmen & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Cruader	Brit.	668	Mar. 14	Captain	Yokohama	Land up
Devana	Brit.	795	April 9	Meyer & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Elcano	Amer. sh.	1181	Feb. 28	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Elcano	Java.	312	Mar. 30	Wieler & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Elcano	Brit.	385	May 22	Master	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Ger.	282	May 8	Melchers & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Brit.	777	April 18	Rozario & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Amer. sh.	889	May 18	Douglas Laprak & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Amer. sh.	678	April 7	Russell & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Foh.	639	May 3	Landstein & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Brit.	656	May 18	Meyer & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Amer. sh.	1576	Aug. 19	Russell & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Amer. sh.	1081	April 16	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Brit.	438	May 18	Carlowitz & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Ger.	444	May 18	Wieler & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Brit.	424	April 27	Captain	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Ger.	464	May 21	Wieler & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Brit.	504	May 15	Douglas Laprak & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Brit. Sm. co.	275	May 6	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Span.	580	May 22	Rozario & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Span. sh.	282	May 7	Ohnese	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Foh.	425	May 22	Carlowitz & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Brit.	251	May 16	Geo. R. Stevens & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Brit.	711	May 12	Ohnese	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Amer. sh.	1374	Feb. 28	Russell & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Span. sh.	217	May 18	Remedios & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Brit.	799	May 16	Butterfield & Swire	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Amer. sh.	986	Feb. 28	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Ger.	392	May 3	Stemmen & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Ger. bg.	276	May 16	Eduard Schellhass & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Brit.	476	May 10	Ohnese	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Amer. sh.	1360	May 22	Borneo Company, Limited	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Ger.	1115	May 10	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Amer. sh.	621	May 20	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Amer. sh.	1418	April 24	Butterfield & Swire	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Brit.	983	April 14	Butterfield & Swire	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Span.	589	May 2	Tack Mee	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Amer. sh.	702	May 12	Meyer & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Brit.	516	May 22	Douglas Laprak & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Foh.	287	May 22	Carlowitz & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Brit.	387	May 22	Carlowitz & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Amer. sh.	1090	Sept. 5	Russell & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Brit.	358	May 19	Captain	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Amer. sh.	645	April 8	Wieler & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Brit.	1274	Feb. 28	Russell & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Amer. sh.	601	May 2	Eduard Schellhass & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Brit. Sm. co.	220	May 16	Wieler & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Forward	Ger.	302	April 28	Melchers & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
<b>WAKAPOA</b>						
Atalanta	Ger.	382	May 24	Stemmen & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Charles Mounier	Foh.	762	May 5	Landstein & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Egoria	Ger.	1087	May 21	Stemmen & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Hail Columbia	Amer. Sm. co.	3683	May 19	Eduard Schellhass & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Perusia	Bel.	3900	May 4	Olyphant & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
<b>GANTON</b>						
Amoy	Brit.	814	May 22	Stemmen & Co.	Yokohama	Land up
Santos	Brit.	784	May 22	Stemmen & Co.	Yokohama	Land up